

Tammany Yacht Club

# SpyGlass

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1196 Harbor Drive, Slidell, LA

September 2013



# Commodore's Corner

Tom Smith

Once again the summer season has passed and we look forward to the fall. We have had a very eventful summer and look forward to again a busy fall racing and club activity month.

First, a little about August. The entertainment committee and Barry did an excellent job putting together an outstanding event. My congratulations go out to all of the staff and volunteers who made this such memorable event. It was also the biggest crowd I can remember in recent years at the club. I had a great time and I had a difficult time finding anyone who was not enjoying themselves. These things do not happen by themselves and a lot of great people helped put the party together.

The fall racing season kicks off the first week of September and we all look forward to seeing more boats out for what is always a very competitive season. Wayne and his crew of volunteers are geared up and ready to start the season. We have located and purchased an additional Flying Scot to help us participate in GYA and junior Gulf area activities. If you have not seen it yet it is under cover in the boat yard. Thanks go out the club members who have helped support these racing activities. Also if you see Sandy and Peggy Stone please join me in saying thanks for driving to Sarasota to look at, purchase and bring back our new boat.

We do plan on increasing our presence at Flying Scot events around the GYA and junior sailing events. I attended the awards ceremony at Gulfport Yacht Club where a number of our juniors were honored and represented us well. It is fun to see their smiles and enthusiasm at these types of events.

We are also trying to organize a cruising event for the early fall so keep your eyes out for details as they get finalized. Looking forward to seeing you all at the club.



# TYC Race

## Wayne Jablonowski

We had some nice Wednesday Nights during July and August, relaxed informal racing and great weather (for the most part). We had from 4 to 8 boats showing up. I hope the sailors enjoyed it.

But now we are on to our Fall Series, a six race series with one throw-out. Racing begins Wednesday September 4. As usual our dependable Christy Lee captained by Gary Knight will be on hand and our volunteer race committee will be raising the flags and calling us over the line.

### Club Championship Series

Our club series continues, with the Leen Polderman Regatta for Saturday, September 14, and the Commodore's Cup on October 12. These will be run in our standard format, races to start at 10 a.m., and hopefully we can get in 3 races. For those racers with a more serious bent, these races are for you, and are also great tune-ups for the LPRC.

### Single Handed Against the Lake

Saturday October 5, one of the popular races amongst the TYC racers. This is a long distance 20-40 mile race around the Lake, single handed. If the Commodore's boat is ready, I know he'll be out for this one. I'll get out the Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions in the next week.

Other races to put on your calendar;

Sept. 7-8, Back to School Regatta, Pontchartrain YC , always a favorite for the Juniors.

Sept. 21, Great Lake Race, South Shore Lake Pontchartrain. We should get a few TYC boats over for this usually "great" race.

Lake Pontchartrain Racing Circuit October 24-27.

Our own Kevin Blank is the Chairman for this Regatta, and his organizational skills will surely make this a success. The Notice of Race will be out this week, and a new part of the race will be a Portsmouth fleet of primarily smaller sport boats. They will be racing a separate triangle "between the bridges" here at TYC.

The racing on Saturday is from New Orleans to Tammany YC, so all of the boats and sailors will be at TYC for a big party Saturday Night, and for the Awards ceremony on Sunday. SO< let's have a big showing of boats from TYC entered and racing.







# Entertainment

**Barry Statia**

FRIDAY, 13 SEPTEMBER BAYOU SELF PLAYS!

It's T.G.I.F. and there's no better way to celebrate than with the music of Bayou Self.  
Mark your calendars and join your friends.

See you there.

# Entertainment

**June Collins**

I have heard Calypso 2013 was very well received and attended. I feel that the members of TYC need to know the behind the scenes as to how the food got done for it. As you all know, these parties don't happen by themselves.

My heartfelt thanks goes to the many folks who stepped up to the plate and volunteered to help with the recipes for the party. Many of these folks (and yes, most of them work full time) and yet take the time to assist when they can. And for that I am personally grateful. I heard many compliments about the food last night when I stopped by for a few minutes. I am so grateful to each of these helpers; J.B. Ilgenfritz, Nancy Ritzmann, Dee Bauer, Val Bowser, Carole LaNata, Jan Pecunia, Doris Burvant, Pam Cannon, Carol Whited, Sylvia Savoie, Jessica Darkshani, Barry Statia, Mark Poole, Kevin and Becky Blank, Desiree Young, Jean Almos, Debbie Smith and Dodie Jones (if I have missed someone I most humbly apologize).

I also want to thank Brenda McCoy and Lacy Wright for doing a great job in the kitchen and bar prep and set up - these two don't get enough praise from us for jobs well done.

As an aside - the addition of the greenery came from Kyle and Kenny who retrieved fresh cut greens and attached them to the décor - adding a special element to the decorations.



# TYC First Mates

Gloria Poole

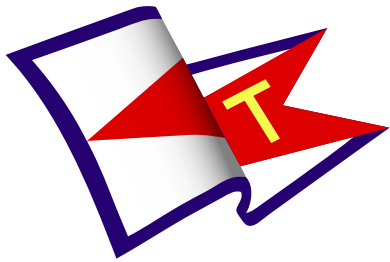
Summer is officially over, but First Mates is still going strong. We have several events scheduled for September. Our First Mates general meeting is planned Saturday September 7th. Our meeting will start at 1 p.m. followed by swimming. Spouses are invited to join us at 3p.m. for a barbeque. It wouldn't be a First Mate event unless there was food so bring a side, appetizer or dessert and of course your own beverage. The meeting will be at my house at 1524 Cuttysark Cove in Clipper Estates. Hope to see you all there.

Bunco will be held this month on the third Thursday, September 19th. We are going to have a signup sheet the week before at the bar, so we will know how many to expect. Come join the fun, all club members are welcome. The cost is \$6 and a portion goes to First Mates general fund. This month's winner was Mark Poole.

We also have another event. We are planning a wine and cheese tasting. The date is scheduled for Thursday, September 26th. More information will be posted at the club.

The First Mates Board has decided to send a care package to our soldiers, thru the Ladies of Liberty. We are collecting items in a box at the club. A list is posted on the First Mates bulletin board. Please donate items till September 30th.





# Upcoming Events

## September 2013

September 2013							Today September 2013 Go << >>		
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday			
1	2	3	4 Fall Series	5	6	7			
8	9	10 Eden Isles HOA TYC Board Meeting	11 Fall Series	12	13 Dinner 7:30pm Birthday Night	14 Leen Polderman			
15	16	17	18 Fall Series	19	20 Dinner 7:30pm	21 Rental			
22	23	24	25 Fall Series	26 Bunco	27 Dinner 7:30pm Steak Night	28 Rental			
29	30	1	2 Fall Series	3	4 Rental	5 Single-handed Against the Lake			

Make sure the following events are in your calendar. A full listing of all events happening at the club can be found online at <http://www.tammanyachtclub.org>. If you would like to submit your event to the calendar, please email [spyglass@tammanyachtclub.org](mailto:spyglass@tammanyachtclub.org).



## Friday Night Dinners

September 13 - Birthday Night

Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes, Vegetable, Salad, Bread and Birthday Cake

\$10 Members      \$12 Non-Members

September 20 - Catered by From the Garden

Chicken with Penne Pasta in a Vodka Sauce, Vegetable, Salad, Bread, and Dessert

\$14 Members      \$16 Non-Members

September 27 - Steak Night

Choice of Beef Filet, Beef Ribeye, or Tuna Steak, Potato, Salad, and Dessert

\$19 Members      \$24 Non-Members

Dinner reservations needed by the Thursday before each Friday Night dinner.

Sign up at the bar or call TYC at 985-649-5222.

## TYC September Birthdays



Shirley Henkel      1

Kelly Vallelungo      3

Lisa Palermo      9

Bill Jobst      9

Martin Smith      11

Guy Geller      20

Russ Carpenter      22

J.D. Deutschmann      23

John Harkins      24

Carl Ritzmann      26

Show up for Birthday Night and celebrate with cake. Also, get a free drink on your birthday! If you have a birthday this month and your name isn't on the list, please let Membership know.

Email [spyglass@tammanyachtclub.org](mailto:spyglass@tammanyachtclub.org).







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 <b>NEW ORLEANS SAINTS</b>  <b>2013 SEASON SCHEDULE</b>				
DATE		OPPONENT	TIME	TV
<b>PRESEASON</b>				
Friday, Aug. 9		vs. Kansas City Chiefs	7:00 pm	CST/FOX 8
Friday, Aug. 16		vs. Oakland Raiders	7:00 pm	CST/FOX 8
Sunday, Aug. 25		at Houston Texans	3:00 pm	FOX
Thursday, Aug. 29		at Miami Dolphins	6:30 pm	CST/FOX 8
<b>REGULAR SEASON</b>				
Sunday, Sept. 8		vs. Atlanta Falcons	12:00 pm	FOX
Sunday, Sept. 15		at Tampa Bay Buccaneers	3:05 pm	FOX
Sunday, Sept. 22		vs. Arizona Cardinals	12:00 pm	FOX
Monday, Sept. 30		vs. Miami Dolphins	7:40 pm	ESPN
Sunday, Oct. 6		at Chicago Bears	12:00 pm	FOX
Sunday, Oct. 13		at New England Patriots	3:25 pm	FOX
Sunday, Oct. 20		BYE WEEK		
Sunday, Oct. 27		vs. Buffalo Bills	12:00 pm	CBS
Sunday, Nov. 3		at New York Jets	12:00 pm	FOX
Sunday, Nov. 10		vs. Dallas Cowboys	7:30 pm	NBC
Sunday, Nov. 17		vs. San Francisco 49ers	3:25 pm	FOX
Thursday, Nov. 21		at Atlanta Falcons	7:25 pm	NFL Network
Monday, Dec. 2		at Seattle Seahawks	7:40 pm	ESPN
Sunday, Dec. 8		vs. Carolina Panthers	12:00 pm	FOX
Sunday, Dec. 15		at St. Louis Rams	12:00 pm	FOX
Sunday, Dec. 22		at Carolina Panthers	12:00 pm	FOX
Sunday, Dec. 29		vs. Tampa Bay Buccaneers	12:00 pm	FOX
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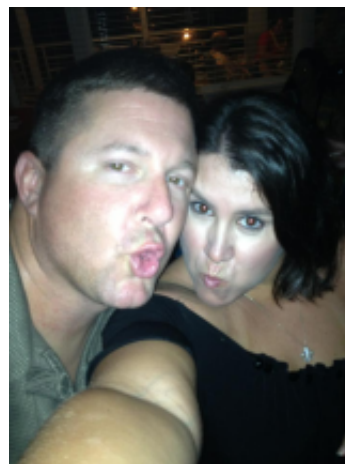
Tailgating food will be served





















# Bilge Swill

Bob

I was thinking about that cup of Cubano coffee and maybe a croissant with some fresh Irish cream butter, who knows we could even find a lost shaker of salt.

So sounds like a "road trip" – inventory and stow your gear for a long summer trek to arrive and winter in someplace warm; our own little gunk hole paradise. Let's see.... Sails, line, machete, Becks, lots of peanut butter, rum for the water, flour, sugar and dew rag; check! We hit the sound a 5:00am and off to the 1st stop to drop off my old license plate; 610 nautical miles, 1300 to lat and lon 240 33' 31.5354"N – 810 48' 19.5624"W. Might be a few days here ! Next; round the horn and head 980 for about 256 miles but make sure to miss the big rock, then end up at 240 5' 8.4078"N – 760 23' 23.1828"W to hear a concert. Off next to the final stop at 1220 for 919 miles of offshore cruising to land at our most favorite place and maybe even hear Leon .....and have a plantation punch, at 18.430 N – 64.710 W.

Haaaaaaa, life is good ! I will buy a round for the 1st person who can email Splyglass with the 3 stops and 2 musicians.

Capt Bob



The members of the Queen Ann Bridge Group continue to play Wednesday nights at TYC. Please join us!

**Finish up your week with a free bar tab!**  
**Every Friday TYC will be holding a drawing for a bar tab.**

**Drawing will be at 9pm.**

**Unwind the week at TYC. . . have a drink. . . win a bar tab!**



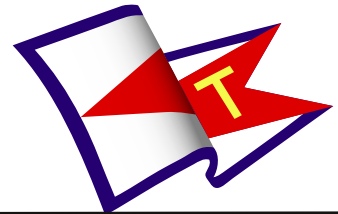
# Editor's Corner

**Angela Keister**

WHEW!!!!!! What an incredible Calypso Party!!!! Kudos to the Entertainment Committee and all of the volunteers who helped make this years' party a huge success. And as always thank you to Lacy, Leslie, Brenda, and Frank you guys never missed a single beat all night long.

With renegade racing wrapped up, the fall series starting, this can only mean soon everywhere we turn the smell of pumpkin will be in the air and fall will be upon us!!!! Cooler weather, REAL racing, FOOTBALL, Holidays, yes Holidays and all of our annual get togethers will soon be in full swing once again. Be sure to take plenty of pictures!!!

Thank you to Nancy Ritzmann, Val Bowser, June Collins, and Kyle Bowser for your extras this month to fill our SpyGlass!!! SHOUT OUT!!!!



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## DON'T FORGET

to visit the TYC gift shop case for

Logo shirts, hats, visors, cups, koozies, and more!!!!

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Monday & Tuesday - Closed  
 Wednesday - Thursday - 5pm to 10pm  
 Friday - 5pm to 11pm  
 Saturday - 2pm to 11pm  
 Sunday - 1pm till 9pm

Club hours may be extended at the discretion of the Club Manager or the ranking Board Member.

Don't forget that on Thursdays and Saturdays your second drink is free. Also, be sure to sign up for Friday night dinners by the required time and cancel if your can't make it to avoid a penalty.

**Deadline for submission to the SpyGlass is the 22nd of each month.**

Please send your submissions via email to [spyglass@tammanyachtclub.org](mailto:spyglass@tammanyachtclub.org)

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